

Effective June 1, 2012, ALL registration renewals mailed will include an informational insert regarding the new electronic insurance verification program. To enhance the program's accuracy and reduce the chance of any inconvenience to our customers, we are asking all registrants to provide a copy of the Certificate of Insurance (WV-1) at the time of any registration transaction. This document will eliminate the need to complete the owner's statement of self-certification of insurance coverage.

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New West Virginia Insurance Law:

Electronic Insurance VERIFICATION

The **NEW Electronic Insurance Verification Program** will allow DMV and law enforcement to verify your motor vehicle insurance information instantly. Whether in the office or roadside, they will be able to quickly and accurately verify your insurance policy.

Your VIN (*vehicle identification number*) will be the key vehicle identifier to your insurance company. **Therefore, it is critical that your VIN is correctly recorded by the DMV and your insurance company.** A mismatched VIN could result in a citation or possible suspensions issued against your driver's license and/or license plate.

Having the **CORRECT ADDRESS** on both your **driver's license and your vehicle records** is not only mandated by law, but also ensures you are getting critical DMV notices. If your insurance cannot

be verified by DMV it may result in action taken against your driver's license and/or license plate. Please ensure all addresses with the DMV are current and that your vehicle's VIN number, located on the lower left (driver's side) corner of the windshield, is correct on your vehicle registration card and proof of insurance.

As an extra measure, we ask that you submit a copy of the front of your insurance card to reduce the risk of errors that can cause you any unnecessary trouble. One copy, one time is all it takes.

This unnecessary inconvenience to you in the future may be avoided by **correcting any VIN errors now**, through DMV and your insurance company.

If your records with DMV need updated or corrected, please contact us for assistance. We will be happy to help you get your information corrected.

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